

## **DETAILED ACTION**

### **EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT**

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it **MUST** be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Gerald Shekleton on 3/28/05.

The application has been amended as follows:

- Claim 13, line 1: delete " 12 " and replace with – 1 – to make claim 13 depended on claim 1.

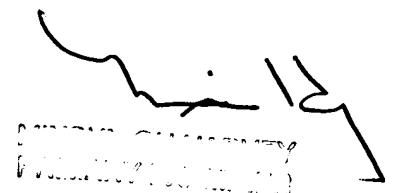
Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Dung (Michael) T. Nguyen whose telephone number is (571) 272-1949. The examiner can normally be reached on 8:30 - 17:00.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Min Harvey can be reached on (571) 272-1835. The fax

phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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Michael Nguyen

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael Nguyen", is written over a rectangular stamp. The stamp contains text that is mostly illegible but appears to include "MICHAEL NGUYEN" and "UNIT 2828".